There was no doubt in Washington to-night that President Wilson's Interview with the Congress leaders on Monday hight was directly responsible for it.

These leaders carried back to the Capitol the firm impression that the President was through parleying with

gress grew gradually and to-night many President's intentions are. of them seemed almost panicky.

One notable feature of the situation seemed to be the inability of the State situation

Department to understand what has President has decided to assert the caused the sudden excitement. The disciplination of merchantmen to arm for design behalf of the committee representing caused the sudden excitement. The distinct impression was gained in State Department circles that if Germany postponed the effective date of her new submarine decree, and called for the views of the United States as to what constituted 'effensive armament on a merchant vessel, this Government would be obliged to enter into an exchange of views on that subdect

State Department contrasted so strikingly with the impression that leaders of Congress carried away from their conference with the President that it ised much comment in Washington night. Many were wondering whether leaders had been unduly impressed

y the strong feeling which the Presi-ent had shown on that occasion. It was admitted to-night that the crux of the situation, so far as its immediate seriousness is concerned, lies in the ques-

who down as quickly as it blazed up, but for the present at least there is no doubt of the seriousness of the situation for the President.

Speaker Clark and Majority Leader Kitchin are among the big Democrats in the House who are favorably disposed to the resolution warning Americans. Senator Stone, chairman of the Sanator Stone, chairman

only a few minutes after adjournment of the conference of the Demo-cratic members of the Foreign Affairs mmittee this afternoon, that Chair-in Flood was called on the telephone the White House. He was told that the President had been informed that the committee was about to report a resolution warning Americans not to claimed for it by the adverages of the travel on armed ships of belligerents.

Just Talked Over Matter.

Mr. Flood said that no such action had been taken by the committee, that the Democratic members of the organization had talked the matter over informally. Then the President informed Chairman Flood again that he was unalterably opposed to the passage of a resolution of warning.

It became known to-day that Repre-

the House leaders, had deserted the tween the United States and Germany.
A report was in circulation that Mr.
Webb had drawn up a petition to be signed by all those in sympathy with signed by all those in sympathy with his views, setting forth to the President

Clark and Leader Kitchin had a conference on the suestion. Later it was disclosed that the Speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the Speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that if the closed that the Speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that the speaker and Mr. Kitchin are in harmony in the belief that if the closed that it is the closed that the speaker are closed to the closed that the closed that the closed that the closed that the speaker are closed to the closed that the close are in harmony in the belief that if the

President persists in his present course
he will soon find that he is out of joint
with Congress on the subject of the
country's relations with Germany.

Mr. Clark also had a talk with Chairman Stone, who also saw the members
of the Missouri delegation in a body.
One Missouri member Strugght word

Of two years if but delegation in a body. One Missouri member brought word of two years if he desires, back to the House that Senator Stone | The Senate bill follows closely the had expressed the opinion that Con-gress would not follow the President if College after an exhaustive study. insisted on going to extremes in his dealings with Germany relative to armed MORE SHIPS FROM U. S. HELD.

Want to Avoid Rupture.

There a rupture of friendly relations or possibly war would be the result if Germany refused to subscribe to the doctrine that merchantmen have a right and a result of one stick wall.

technicality, whereas he entered into olonged negotiations when the Lusi-nia went down with more than a hundred American lives.

House members are strongly of the to-day, that there is a possibility of compromise in the present differences

the issue with Germany to the breaking point on the lines now laid down. They will advise the President further that it may be difficult to prevent action by the House and possibly by the Senate if he continues to press the matter to a breaking point.

With \$8,709,697.

Exports of cotton amounted to 19,563 bales for the week ended February 12. For the twelve principal customs districts, New York included, exports for the week ended February 19 amounted to 157, of dominating the Pacific Ocean was week proving Affine Chairman Flood of the House

Foreign Affairs Committee is undoubt-edly in sympathy with the members who The Copper Range Company reports at heart in favor of the passage of a report in the passage of a report in the passage of a report in favor of the passage of a report of the are opposed to pressing the merchant-

up in Congress was its suddenness, bers that either some action should be

President was through parleying with Germany, and that he was prepared to force a break unless Germany gave assurances that armed liners would not be attacked without warning.

The strong personal feeling which the President showed on this occasion, together with his apparent resentment over the delays interposed by Germany, all led to an impression that the situation was extremely serious.

The apprehension of members of Congress grew gradually and to-night many

A prominent leader in the House D. Brandels were filed before the Sen-

"The House understands that

First Step in Senate.

In the Senate the first step that will put the challenge up to the President will be taken by Senator Gore of Oklahoma, heretofore classed as an Admin-istration Senator. That Senator will reintroduce his bill directing that passtion whether the United States in that question whether the United States in that the control of event, will consent to discuss with Ger-event, will consent to discuss with Ger-many the subject of defensive armament. It was this matter that was put up

Time for Parleying Over.

The impression gained by members of ongress at the White House conference

The President on Monday night by Senator Stone, Senator Kern and Representative Flood.

The President promptly disapproved

Bill to Be Defeated. The Senate is not friendly disposed toward the bill. Its advocates do not claim more than one-half of the Demo-Only six or eight Republicans, laimed for it by the advocates of the bill to-day, who admit they do not at this time see the necessary number of votes in sight to pass it. Senators Stone, O'Gorman, Hitchcock and possibly Clarke of Arkansas are the only Democratic members of the Foreign Relations Com-

SENATE FOR 175,000 ARMY.

Military Bill Drafted by the Com-

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23 -The arms

that the House is opposed to Mr. Wilson's announced purpose to assert the right of merchantmen to arm.

In the course of the afternoon Speaker In the course of the co

Are Taken to Kirkwall.

The Danish steamer Virginia, from the United States was justified in break- has been ordered to Hull to discharge ing off diplomatic relations at the time part of her cargo for the prize court, of the sinking of the Lusitania. They the Danish steamer Falkland, taken way and other little navy members that fence of any other woman's boy." insisted that in the present instance the into Kirkwall on January 27, has been President threatened extreme action over ordered to South Shields for the prize

FOODSTUFF EXPORTS DOWN.

Copper Range Gains Heavily.

New Accusations Laid Before Senate Committee by Attorney Fox for Score of Boston Men-Gillette Razor and Equitable Cases Cited.

ate investigating committee to-day by Austen G. Fox. a New York attorney. fence. This means that if a vessel with a score or more residents of Boston who holder of the Gillette Safety Razor Com-Americans aboard is fired on the Pressuppose Mr. Brandels's appointment to pany, brought a suit against its offi-idnet will direct that the German Amethe Supreme bench. These charges are the Supreme bench. These charges are bassador to the United States be handed his passports and that the American Embassy at Berlin be closed and our three legal proceedings.

Ambassador withdrawn.

This would lead to war, or at least tween the late E. H. Harriman and that their wiews on that subject.

The situation was admitted to be grave, but there was no reason, so far as State Department officials could see, as State Department officials could see.

The House is not in sympathy with the apprehension shown by Congress.

This temperate view on the part of the This temperate view on the part of the country is opposed to going to war on the presidency. the inois Central road, and Mr. Fox alleges Fox's summary of this case proceds his Mr. Brandleis was employed by Mr. Har-

> the approaching annual stockholders' meeting and to turn out Stuyvesant Fish from the presidency. Sullivan & Cromwell, lawyers at 49 Wall street, acted for Mr. Harriman and were in charge of the canvass for stockholders' proxies. Mr. Wadill Catchings was sent by Sullivan & Cromwell to employ Brandeis, Dunbar & Nuter to canvass Illinois Central stockholders in Boston and to obtain their proxies for Mr. Harriman against Stuyvesant Fish.

"Mr. Catchings spent practically the whole day with Mr. Brandels, conferring with him in regard to his (Brandels) acting for Mr. Harriman. Thereafter Mr. Brandels's firm acted for Mr. Har-The impression gained by members of Congress at the White House conference was that the President believed the time for parleying was just about over, whereas State Department officials He spoke regretfully, and it is said even to believe that the situation might very conceivably demand a further exchange of notes.

The President promptly disapproved it. Senator Stone was displeased by the President's attitude and told him sometimes and widely sought to obtain proxies in Mr. Harriman's behalf. "In 1908 Mr. Brandeis's firm acted for all. Having the president promptly disapproved it. Senator Stone was displeased by the president's attitude and told him sometimes and widely sought to obtain proxies in Mr. Harriman's behalf, a charge made by Joseph B. Warner before the legislative committee on rail-nority simply."

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Many believe the stir in Congress will die down as quickly as it blazed up, but for the present at least there is no doubt of the seriousness of the situation.

The should not be asked to lead "a minority simply."

Senator Stone intimated, it was said realiably to-day, that the Presidents view on the right of Americans to protection on armed beligerent vessels was not shared by a majority of his party in the present at least there is no doubt of the seriousness of the situation.

The Gore bill, which may go in to

Partner Aided N. V. Pirm.

"On November 22, 1907, a representative of the firm of Sullivan & Cromwell of New York, for whom we have acted from time to time for nearly fifted from time to time for nearly fifted after the firm of Sullivan & Cromwell of New York, for whom we have acted from time to time for nearly fifted from time for nearly fifted from time to time for nearly fifted from time for Nutter, to aid him in connection with obtaining proxies for the annual meeting of the Illinois Central, Mr. Nutter, in the presence of Sullivan & Cromed had transferred to it the stock of Gillette and Stewart, and the day whether there was anything in my day whether the manner of the united to show on various occasions my passion for that quality which ought to obtain among all those who profess allegating the corporation which Mr. Brander to any one section or portion of us.

"I have tried to show on various occasions my passion for that quality which ought to obtain among all those who profess allegating to the united to show on various occasions my passion for that quality which ought to obtain among all those who profess allegating the corporation which Mr. This can will be a state of the united to show on various occasions my passion for that quality which ought to obtain among all those who profess allegating the cor in the presence of Sullivan & Cromelwell's representative, asked me on that day whether there was anything in my merger fight which would prevent his acting in that matter, and I told him none whatever—that so far as I knew Mr. Harriman had no interest of any kind in the merger question.

"Mr. Nutter did act for Messrs, Sullivan & Cromwell, and either he or persons employed by him solicited proxies; that Mr. Brandels first acted as counsel

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—More charges against the professional conduct of Louis deverely attacked Mr. Harriman and the so-called Harriman merger.

Brandels were filed before the Sen-

Charges in Gillette Co. Case. Mr. Fox plans to produce evidence

ment, improper salaries and general mis-conduct of the business. At about the same time the plaintiff and fourteen To this conothers brought a bill in equity, alleging that they had been induced to sell their former holdings of stock on mis-

Henry T. Richardson and Henry M. both cases. The defendants represented for whom they sp by Mr. Brandels were Gillette, Joyce ward this country.

to settle, and informed Mr. Williams. cepted by both Mr. Richardson and Mr. Belgium.
Williams. This disposed of the first
The President said.

Mr. ceiving you. I do not deserve any hard-thanks; it is a real pleasure to have Mr. received you and to have seen so many being heard before a master, Mr. Brandeis sent again for Mr. Richard-Brandeis's clients, had been endeavoring Gillette Safety Razor Company.

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livan & Cromwell, and either he or persons employed by him solicited proxies in the most open manner during the course of several months, applying, among others, to many gentlemen who were known to be most actively in favor of the merger."

Mr. Fox adds that later in 1914, Mr.

In the third summary Mr. Fox alleges that Mr. Brandeis first acted as counsel for the Equitable Life Assurance society and subsequently appeared as counsel for the Equitable in a suit setting forth the very charges which Mr. Brandeis had made against the Equitable.

DANIELS A CABINET DANIELS CUT NAVAL

The admission was drawn from

or defence.

Some of these leaders suggested that taken into Kirkwall on February 12. Examination of the Admiral was so long drawn out by Representative Callainto Kirkwall on January 27, has been | Chairman Padgett entered an objection, saying that the time was not far distant of Secretary Daniels: when hearings on the naval bill would

> Admiral Badger was questioned concerning the necessity for a fleet in the pared to demand the appointment of a Pacific. He said that ultimately the United States would have to maintain of understanding and unbuilding the January Shows Smaller Shipments
>
> on Many Items.
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> Washington, Feb. 23.—Exports of breadstuffs, cottonseed oil, cattle, hogs and sheep, meat and dairy products, cotton and mineral oils amounted in January, 1916, to \$106,017,710, as against \$144.549,334 in January, 1915, according to the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.
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> Exports of breadstuffs amounted to the same of the same to maintain in that quarter a force large enough to cope with any possible enemy. He said in that the Atlantic should not be weakled that the Atlantic should not be weakled that the Pacific fleet, as at present army bull is a pork barrel tribute," said Mr. Menken, who was hardly in accord with Mr. Hammond, who said he did not believe President Wilson's advocacy of preparedness was political, because it had split his party. The President, Mr. Hammond said, had class, three submarines and five described by political because it had split his party. The President, Mr. Hammond said, had class, three submarines and five described by political because it had split his party. The President, Mr. Hammond said, had class, three submarines and five described by political because it had split his party. The President, Mr. Hammond said, had class, three submarines and five described by political because it had split his party. The present army bull is a pork barrel tribute," said Mr. Menken, who was hardly in accord with Mr. Hammond, who said he did not believe President. The President, Mr. Hammond said, had class, three submarines and five described by political because it had split his party. The president of the Atlantic should not be weakled that the Pacific fleet, as at president with the Atlantic should not be weakled that the Pacific fleet, as at president with the Atlantic should not be weakled that the Pacific fleet, as at president with the Atlantic should not be weakled that the Pacific fleet, as at president with the Atlantic should not be weakled that the Pacific fleet, as at president the president with the Atlantic should not be weak

made to the House Naval Committee "The cold facts are that if we are atto-day by Rear Admiral Badger of the tacked by a first class Power it will be General Board. Admiral Badger's state- absolutely necessary for every citizen. Swedish and Norwegian Steamers ment was in conflict with testimony pacifist or jingo, to rally to the colors," given on the subject by Secretary Dan- said John Hays Hammond, Jr., inventor

> must increase the land forces." Mrs. Lindon W. Bates, whose son, Admiral Badger as a result of questions | Lindon W. Bates, Jr., perished on the asked by Representative Britten of Lusitania, spoke for American motherhood as follows:

"The woman who didn't raise her boy

"President Wilson has two vacancies in his Cabinet—the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy. We are pre-

be adjusted through the medium of diplomatic exchange.

Will Call on Wilson.

Unless there is a change of programme Chairman Flood will seek a conference with the President to-morrow. They will advise the President to-morrow. They will advise the President to be morrow are opposed to pressing the issue with Germany to the breaking point on the lines now laid down. They will advise the President of the President to may be difficult to area with \$10,594, as compared with \$11,754, as compared with \$1,175, as compared w

should be CHARGES BRANDEIS AIDED FOREIGN BORN LOYAL GAS MEN UNITE IN HARRIMAN IN FISH FIGHT WILSON FEELS SURE BROADER RESEARCH

ans He Has Confidence in Dyes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23. - President Stewart, a stock- his confidence in the loyal patriotism large gas companies at Johns Hopkins the United States in an address to the committee of Hungarians at the White

Their Patriotism.

ander Konta of New York, who had been appointed by a mass meeting of representations from these officers. Mr., Hungarians held in New York in January to protest to the President against aspersions which had been made against Henry T. Richardson and Henry
Williams of Boston. These two counsel their loyalty, the President said he had appeared in both cases and jointly connever for a moment questioned the are being discovered yearly.

The Consolidated Gas Connected the sentiments which the men ducted them. Brandels, Dunbar & Quality of the sentiments which the men Nutter appeared for the defendants in both cases. The defendants represented for whom they spoke entertained to-

by Mr. Brandeis were Gillette, Joyce and Holloway.

"While the two suits were in progress Mr. Brandeis had a conference with Mr. Richardson, and suggested a settlement of the first suit brought, in which there was only one plaintiff, for a nominal consideration, and Mr. Brandeis requested Mr. Richardson not to inform Mr. Williams of this proposal of settlement. Mr. Richardson declined to settle, and informed Mr. Williams.

The utterance of the President was read with interest by political authorities here. Recently the President's products and more are wanted. Springer of the products and more are wanted. The pregarded as the keynote of the Republication of the company made this statement yet day:

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The President's friends do Subsequently Mr. Brandeis submitted a lieve that Americans of German birth proposal of settlement which was accepted by both Mr. Richardson and Mr. who publicly denounces the invasion of "You have thanked me, sirs, for re-

you upon such an errand.

"I want to say that so far as m own feelings and opinion are concerned the errand was unnecessary. I have never myself doubted for a moment, sir, the feeling that gentlemen such as "I recognize you as just as much American as anybody born in this coun-

"I have deplored, and I am sure you with me in deploring, the who have misrepresented those for they professed to speak, and my publ protest has been against what they said and against their misrepresentation what I feel sure was the sentiment of the rank and file of those Americans born on the other side of the water who corporation, and that he (Stewart) use his efforts to have the owner or owners of the other 100 share lot do the same. Mr. Brandeis stated that this was to be Mr. Brandeis stated that this was to be 'm's other talents and their allegiance. "So that I welcome this occasion as "So that I welcome this occasion as

States. I feel highly complimented by this visit and—I will not say reassured. because I did not need any reassurance

you have brought me. I thank you Reception a Proof.

Kenta in his address preceding the President's remarks said

Have Been Misrepresented.

"We have been misrepresented in a period of history that is full of misrep-Careful inquiry disclosed the fact that nearly all the responsible leaders of the House on the Democratic side are of the opinion that the United States should not earry its negotiations to the point of the opinion that the United States should not earry its negotiations to the point of the opinion that the United States should not earry its negotiations to the point of the opinion of the work of the board of the wireless torped. The swedish iels, Discussing the work of the board of the wireless torped. The ships of the slanders were repudiated at once. go down in American history with the unblemished record which we are endeavoring to establish and which we think we already have established to be a soldier has no right to the defence of any other woman's boy."

S. Stanwood Menken had this to say
Daniels:

"Your Excellency's reception of the day is proof to us that you believe in our loyalty. You, sir, clothed with the supreme authority of the notion, give us officially in the nation's name evi-

in this terrible war our mother country has played a worthy role, our mass

MANY IN PURE WATER FIGHT. to Albany To-day.

Delegations from a number of civic PALM BEACH, Fla., Feb. 23.—A. Frank associations will go to Albany to-day Crocker alias D. Count, was identified to support before the Finance Commither to-night by Detective Segment

Tells Delegation of Hungari- Seek New By-products of Coal. Especially for

Desputches from Baltimore telling of Wilson made an emphatic statement of the establishment of a laboratory by the of the body of foreign born citizens of University to develop the aniline dye industry in this country were confirmed yesterday by officials of the Consol dated Gas Company. In cooperation with companies in Philadelphia and Baltimore a fund has been raised to permit the chemists of the university to go thoroughly into the subject. known to-day, among them dyes, drugs explosives, fertilizers, flavors, preservatives and the like, and

> 1,200,000 tons of coal annually ing its gas, which leaves an enormous amount of waste. For some time the chemical department of the compan-has been obtaining some of these by ompany made this statement yester

Increased popular interest has been evidenced in the question of coal tar products since the war has cut us off, at least in part and temporarily from some of the most important of these substances. establish its chemical industries a basis that will render it henceforth reasonably independent of foreign

supplies.

The importance of the coal by products in the chemical industry and consequently in a wide range of manufactures cannot be overemphasized. supplementing this statement was an extract from the Engineering and Min ing Journal giving the scope of the coal tar industry, illustrated by a family tree

FLETCHER IS APPROVED.

ported Favorably to Senate.

the nomination of Henry P. the nomination of Helify as Ambassador to Mexico. There were as Ambassador to Mexico. There were two votes in opposition—Senators Borah two votes in opposition—Senators Borah time in the City Hall, but I told her Bowker, it was nearly two hours better time in the City Hall, but I told her Bowker, it was nearly two hours better the neighboring mills and churches the control of danger. and Smith of Michigan. The opposi-tion was based on the feeling that the Senate ought not to go on record as recognizing the Carranza Government by cording it diplomatic recognition. ination was reported to the padded payroll. She added that after East Second street and rapidly ate its

fore assuming his duties at

BURTON AND CUMMINS IN RACE. P. Candidates.

"On behalf of this committee, for myself, but above all in the name of American citizens of Hungarian birth, whom we represent, we thank you for receiving us here to-day.
"Your Excellency's reception of us is all the proof we want of your faith in our fidelity to the United States. We are not a local committee. We represent our fellow citizens in all parts of convention. In accordance with the Ohio

last winter in building railways and doing other work will probably be investigated by the Canadian Government. engaged under the impression that they were working for "King and country." period of history that is full of misrep-resentations, insinuations and downright slander. It was important to our rec-slander. It was important to our rec-

reward which we have endeavored to deserve. It is the most powerful incentive your Excellenscy could give us to continue to deserve well of the country of our adoption.

"If we have protested, sir; if in our hearts we shall continue to believe that in this terrible war our mother country has played a worthy role," our mass training instructors outside of the pubmeeting in New York was first of all what our appearance before your Excellency to-day is again—a public avowal of our unwavering loyalty to ably be established. Applications will be received by Dr. C. Ward Crampton.

ALLEGED ABDUCTOR CAUGHT.

Beach by N. Y. Detective.

157 East Sixty-seventh street.

Admiral badger said he could answer that only in executive session. He explained, however, that a fleet capable, of dominating the Pacific Ocean was the only sure protection for the Pacific coast, and said that the earth siles in the Panama Canal had made impossible for the present and perhaps for another year the use of the fleet in either ocean.

International consideration which moved the board to change its policy last year and declare that the United State navy should equal the strongest aftent by not later than 1925 will be disclosed to-morrow in executive session by Admiral Badger.

MRS.DE ARMOND WEDS WAITER

Means Committee of the Assembly Senator Wagner's three bills designed to prevent the construction of State institutions on the Croton watershed.

The organizations that will be represented are the Merchants Association, the State Island Chamber of Commerce, the Critizens Union, the Fifth Avenue Association, the State Island Chamber of Commerce, the Critizens Union, the Fifth Avenue Association, the Broad Mercantile Association, the Broad Mercantile Association, the Broad of Trade, the Crocker and associates of his have been active lately and that the United Mercantile Association of Crocker and an universal property of the leading life insurance comments and the Ways and the Crocker and association of the Pacific Coast, and the local police are holding him for violating the Mann white slave are the Critizens Union, the Fifth Avenue Association, the Citizens Union, the Fifth Avenue Association, the Crocker and association, the Crocker and association, the Citizens Union, the Fifth Avenue Association, the Citizens Union, the Fifth Avenue Association, the Broad Mercantile Association, the Crocker and the Ways and the coast, and the local police are holding him for

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GRAFT HUNT ORDERED | 200 MADE HOMELESS IN CHICAGO PAYROLL

City Acts on Woman's Charge Flames in Tenement Houses That She Had to Aid Mayor's Relative.

CHICAGO, Feb. 23 .- The City Civil Service Commissioner ordered to-day that to-night in the east side tenement dathe payroll of the Department of Public trict caused damage of \$200,000 and Welfare be held up for investigation of 200 persons were made homeless. One the graft charges made by Mrs. Page four story and two three story tenemen Waller Eaton against Mrs. Louise Os- houses were destroyed. Mrs. Eaton has charged that she was forced to contribute one-third of her \$3,showing nearly all of the principal by- 000 salary for the relief of the sister- ladder forty feet above the street. One in-law of Mayor Thompson, Mrs. Mar- of the injured men suffered a possible

ad proposed to carry a dummy on the

Fletcher said Mrs. Eaton. "I would have none P. Fletcher said Mrs. Eaton. "I would have none place of fire apparatus in the city was There were of it. She told me this was done all the called out by Fire Chief Reginald W. nators Borah time in the City Hall, but I told her Bowker, it was nearly two hours be-

> Rowe's lawyer. "Steddie, did you ever hear of such by Henry Hann and twine, proprietor an insuit?" Mrs. Rowe said she told occupied by Louis Levine, proprietor a glassware and crockery shop. To a glassware and crockery shop. To him "Can you beat it?" nose?" answered Stedman," said Mrs

VASSAR'S PHI BETA KAPPA

ship Society Are Announced. POUGHEEPSIE, N. Y., Feb. 23.—Vas-both of Engine Company 2, were the in

lowing members:

ESTIMATE 17,000 MEN VACANCY, MENKEN SAYS

sent our tenow citizens in all parts to speak for them to make renewed profession of our allegiance, if the country believes that to be necessary.

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Sent our tenow citizens in all parts to the country to speak for them to make renewed profession of our allegiance, if the country to should be same directly to abandon her neutrality. Greece, the same measures as the Allege that to be necessary.

of Corean Muddle.

Washington, Feb. 23.—Senator Roots speech as temporary chairman of the contractors thus getting their labor free of cost.

It is probable the contractors will be asked to pay the Canadian Government an amount equal to the regular pay received by the soldiers thus employed.

SCHOOL TEACHERS TO DRILL.

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Athletic Instructors Will Form Nucleus of Corps.

A military training corps, of which A military training corps, of which the nucleus will be the men engaged in teaching physical training and athletics in the public schools, will be or-

that a treaty entered into between Japan and Corea made it impossible for the United States to interfere, as the treaty gave Japan a virtual protectorate over Corea and precluded outside interference. The correspondence was ordered rinted and referred to the Foreign Relations Committee, but with the an-nouncement that Senator Stone had abandoned the fight on Mr. Root interest

SMITH TO LOSE EXCISE POST. Wilson Nominee for District Called

Too Lenlent.

Washington, Feb. 23.—A sub-committee of the District of Columbia Committee made an unfavorable report to the full committee to-day on the nation by the President of Gen. G. Smith of Jersey City to be Excis Commissioner of the District of Colu-bia. The appointee is a personal fried

BY FIRE AT PASSAIC

Cause Loss of \$200,000-Two Firemen Hurt.

Passate, N. J., Feb. 23.-Fire here

Two firemen were injured when pornice from one of the burning buildfracture of the skull and the other a suffering from internal injuries and severe cuts and burns. Both were sen Dense throngs filled East Second

street, where the blaze started, and made it difficult for the firemen to get the flames under control. Although every

the exec-in was ob-she went to see Seymour Stedman Mer proofs into the two three story buildings she went to see Seymour Stedman, Mrs. at 63 and 61. The four story building him. "Can you beat it?"

"'Why didn't you biff her one in the two other buildings both had small stores on their first floors. One of them was

> height, employees of nearby mills flooded ne roofs with water and organized rigades to fight off the flying embers which threatened the buildings. jured firemen. Grantner's condition

y Herman Lifton.
At 11 P. M., when the fire was at

The origin of the fire is unknown

REASSURES GREEK RULER Sarrall Tells King Allies Have No

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Sure Safety of Coast, Says

Preparedness Rally

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There were speeches, cheers and a collection of \$1,000 cash and more in pleckers tary Daniels changed a report of the General Navy Board by eliminating a precommendation for the addition of about 17,000 men to the personnel of the another 17,000 men to the personnel of the matter 17,000 men to the personnel of the foundation of a statement 17,000 men to the personnel

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